

THREE FAIRFIELD WIFEBEATERS ARE GIVEN SENTENCES

Judge Wakeman Discourages Pastime By Dealing Out Terms in Jail.

(Special to The Farmer)

Fairfield, June 8.—Four cases of assault in three of which wives appeared as victims were heard this morning before Judge Bacon Wakeman in the Fairfield town court. Emil Allard of Southport was fined \$5 and costs and sentenced to jail for 30 days, but the jail sentence was suspended. It was alleged he beat his wife last night and he was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Perry's lot and sentenced to five days in jail and assessed the costs of the hearing. When he was charged with intoxication and assault upon his wife, Salomon Keener in Fairfield and Southport will be notified by the prosecuting authorities to cease serving Wastonski with liquor.

John Rakowski was arraigned for assault with intent to kill William D. Vitkowski. At Vitkowski's home in Center street, Southport, yesterday afternoon, it is alleged Rakowski threatened Vitkowski with a razor and said he was going to kill himself after eliminating Vitkowski from the community of Southport. Vitkowski ran out of the house and summoned Charles H. E. Ewold. Rakowski was arrested and was fined \$10 and costs this morning in court.

Gottlieb Diering, arrested yesterday morning for beating his wife, was fined \$5 and costs and was sentenced to jail for 10 days but the sentence was suspended.

The Hammondson tribe of Red Men from New Haven, will work the third degree on 12 candidates Thursday evening at the meeting of Uquova Lodge, to be held in Sherman hall.

A special town meeting will be held Monday evening, at 8 o'clock, and it is probable arrangements will be made to build a schoolhouse in the Stratfield district with the proceeds of a bond issue.

BRENNAN.—In Hartford, May 27, John Brennan of West Goshen, age 48.

GREEN.—In New Hartford, May 29, Seymour S. Green, aged 64.

BRIGGS.—In Torrington, May 26, Daniel I. Briggs, aged 53.

IRVINE.—In Norwalk, May 28, Prudence, widow of William Irvine.

THORNSON.—In Greenwich, May 27, Christian W. Thorsen, aged 33.

ABERG.—In Danbury, May 31, Magnus Aberg, aged 67 years.

MEYERHOLZ.—In Shelton, May 31, William E. Meyerholz, of Danbury.

DIED
CALLAHAN.—In this city, June 8, 1915, James Callahan of 33 West avenue.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

BRAY.—In this city, Monday, June 8, 1915, Patrick J. Bray.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, No. 113 Park street, on Thursday, June 10th at 8:30 a. m. and from St. Patrick's church where a solemn high mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of his soul at 9 o'clock. Burial at St. Michael's cemetery. D 8 b

CARROLL.—In this city, Monday, June 7th, 1915, James F. Carroll, aged 80 years.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, No. 113 Park street, on Thursday, June 10th at 8:30 a. m. and from St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial at St. Michael's cemetery. D 8 b

HAGGERTY.—In this city, June 6, 1915, Mary, widow of John Haggerty.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, 120 Madison avenue, on Thursday, June 10, at 8:30 a. m. and from St. Augustine's at 9 a. m. with solemn high mass. Interment St. Michael's cemetery. D 7 a

FOR SALE—1914 Ford Touring car, also 1914 Ford Runabout, 1423 North avenue. D 8 s p

LOST—Bank book No. 84458, Merchants & Farmers Savings bank. Finder please return to bank. D 1 s p 2 2 2

WANTED position by young man at anything steady, willing and ambitious. C. Tanner, 269 East Main St. D 8 d

WANTED—Work by man handy at carpenter work. J. P. Hull, 93 Fulton St. D 8 d

SITUATION WANTED by young man 4 years experience stenographer, typewriter and clerk. Address N. G. Pearman, 325 State St., City. D 8 d

FINE NEW COTTAGE, Myrtle beach, water, gas, school, 10 cent fare, sold reasonable, \$100 down, payment monthly. "Cottage". Care Farmer. B 12 s p

ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A BAGGAGE?—Call up 3859-4 evenings; 1188-3 days. Brick building, Lot 45x110 feet, for sale, on Fairfield avenue, suitable for large hall, etc. Good investment. D 8 b

WANTED—Experienced men to deliver our home-made bread to grocers and delicatessen stores, must be well acquainted with west and south end business. Dillman Bakery Co., 53 Sterling St. D 8 b

NOTICE
The Crane Valve Company Relief Association will meet at Eagles' hall, Thursday, June 17th, 1915, at 8 p. m., for purpose of reorganization and election of officers. Signed, H. SHEASBY, Sec.

LEGAL NOTICE—All pledges up to number 19467 dated before Dec. 3, 1914 are for sale. 19466, Dec. 8; 19441, 19431, Dec. 7; 19355, 19345, Dec. 5; 19341, 19339, 19338, 19335, 19332, 19329, 19316, Dec. 4; 19288, Dec. 2; 19290, 19186, 19155, 19194, 19193, Nov. 30; 19153, 19156, 19149, Nov. 28; 19116, 19110, 19107, 19100, 19099, Nov. 27; 19095, 19074, 19072, Nov. 25; 19050, 19030, 19027, 19020, 19019, Nov. 23; 19010, 19009, 19005, 18998, 18980, 18956, Nov. 21; 18958, Nov. 20, 1914, C. A. Peck, 48 Middle St. a p

Summary OF THE War News

Four more vessels, three of them neutrals, have been sunk by German submarines in the waters near the British Isles. The neutral ships were all Norwegian and no loss of life on them is reported. In the case of the fourth vessel, the Estonian steamer Menapier, only six of the 23 persons on board were saved.

General Cadorna, Italian chief of staff, said in a report from the front last night that the Italians were making methodical progress all along the frontier, taking possession of important positions. Apparently the tough body of invading forces has not yet crossed the Isonzo river, along the line north of the Gulf of Trieste, but General Cadorna stated that strong detachments from entrenched themselves on the further side, meeting little opposition.

Forces which crossed the river near Tolmino now menace that point, which is of great strategic importance. Reports from Vienna say the Austrians have been successful in several minor engagements with the Italians. Although there has been sharp fighting at various points the Austrians are still postponing the decisive battle which is expected soon.

Official advices from Petrograd give few definite statements concerning the situation in Galicia. It is admitted, however, that the Austro-German forces succeeded in crossing the Dniester river near Zurawana and apparently the Russians are still failing back along most of this front.

A German victory almost as striking as that in Galicia is said in Berlin to have been won in the Baltic provinces which were invaded several weeks ago by the Germans. The Russian resistance is said to have broken down. A Petrograd despatch, however, asserts that the Russians were victorious in the bitterest battle of the Russian front for control of the Dubysa river.

Official VIEWS OF World's War FRENCH

Paris, June 8.—The French war office this afternoon gave out a statement on the progress of hostilities which reads as follows:

"In the sector to the north of Arras there were, yesterday evening, no night, some infantry engagements. On the eastern slopes of the plateau of Lorette the enemy counter-attacked. This activity did not result in any changes of position."

"To the northeast of Souchez we yesterday made further progress."

"At Neuville St. Vaast we gained possession as a result of very violent fighting of a further group of houses in the sector of 'The Labyrinth' a German counter-attack has been repulsed."

"To the southeast of Hebuterne, the enemy endeavored yesterday to recapture the positions they had lost. They were driven back. We increased our gain to the northeast by taking possession of two lines of German trenches along a front stretching for 4075 meters as far as the roadway running between Hebuterne and Serre."

"We took a total of 150 prisoners, of whom 100 had not been wounded."

ITALIAN
Rome, June 8.—Italian troops are proceeding methodically to take possession of the most important positions all along the frontier according to a statement signed by General Cadorna, chief of the general staff, issued at General Italian Headquarters. The statement follows:

"Our advanced troops proceeded methodically to take possession of the most important positions beyond the frontier all along the line, meeting with slight resistance. At the same time a closely concerted artillery duel continued on the plateaus of Lavarone and Folgaria."

"The same is the case all along the Isonzo river from Caporetto to the sea, where we are in close contact with the enemy. Strong advance formation protected by powerful artillery actually have moved on this line with the object of establishing themselves on both banks of the river and are seriously threatening Tolmino."

"Along the lower course of the Isonzo river spanning the river with military bridges under the eyes of the enemy, large detachments of our troops proceeded by a reconnoitering force of cavalry succeeded in crossing to the eastern bank where they now are fortifying themselves. By this maneuver we are assured along the Isonzo front the same liberty of action as on our other fronts. This is important because heavy detachments of troops may thus be employed easily when the time is ripe. Our losses have been relatively light."

"Our troops celebrated yesterday, the national holiday, offering to their sovereign, who is everywhere with them, proofs of their high esteem by their courage, their spirit of self-sacrifice and highest patriotic enthusiasm."

TURKISH
Amsterdam, June 8.—There has been received here from Constantinople a despatch which transmits the following Turkish official report on the progress of hostilities at the Dardanelles:

"Our artillery has destroyed an enemy position near Av. Burnu, from which bombs were being dropped. The neighboring trenches also were destroyed."

"In the vicinity of Seddul-Bahr the enemy, in a condition of exhaustion, has not shown any further activity since his last unsuccessful attack."

"Our batteries on the Asiatic coast shelled the weary troops of the enemy in the neighborhood of Seddul-Bahr yesterday. His artillery positions and his ammunition transports were shelled."

"Two of the enemy cruisers unsuccessfully shelled the village of Alajane, opposite the island of Mytilene. Sub-

sequently, the enemy sent a steamer filled with soldiers to this port and attempted to remove some boats at anchor there. Fire was opened on this steamer from the banks and the vessel ran ashore. "Subsequently, the cruisers retired."

EIGHT QUESTIONS ON MACHINE FOR SPECIAL ELECTION

Commission Government Issue Like the Elusive Pea Under the Shells.

The questions to be voted on at the special election on Saturday, June 19, have been prepared by the mayor and city attorney and are now in the town clerk's hands to be placed on the voting machines. The form of questions is in the order in which they will come as follows:

1. Shall the city of Bridgeport adopt the commission form of government?

2. Shall the city of Bridgeport adopt the five commissioner plan?

3. Shall the city of Bridgeport adopt the city manager plan?

4. Shall the Grand street bridge bonds be issued to the amount of \$225,000 under the resolution of the common council adopted April 5, 1915?

5. Shall the East Washington avenue bridge bonds be issued to the amount of \$130,000, under the resolution of the common council adopted April 5, 1915?

6. Shall incinerator bonds be issued to the amount of \$200,000, under the resolution of the common council adopted April 5, 1915?

7. Shall municipal ice plant bonds be issued to the amount of \$200,000, under resolution of the common council adopted June 7, 1915?

8. Shall the public act of 1915 approved May 6, 1915, authorizing the city to issue bonds for sites and grammar school buildings, be approved?

The polls will be open from 6 in the morning until 5 in the afternoon. The mayor will designate the polling places in a few days. Only those electors whose names were on the list at the election last November may vote at the special election.

Play grounds of City To Be Opened Monday

The playgrounds at the West End, Lafayette park and Yellow Mill park will open Monday. An effort is being made to open the new playground at the North End in condition to open by a week from Monday. There will be a regular meeting of the park board in the Seaside park cottage tonight. Only routine business is to be considered.

Communications May Be Attached To Packages

The fact that a communication, inclosed in an envelope, having postage prepaid thereon at the first class rate, may be attached to the outside of a parcel of fourth class matter properly prepaid at the rate applicable to the parcel, has been called to the attention of all postmasters by the third assistant postmaster general. Letters and parcels mailed together in this manner reach the addressee at the same time. This is often necessary or desirable and a great convenience and service to prevent misunderstanding, avoids confusion and facilitates the transportation of business.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Members of St. Rita's Guild, a Catholic charity society, are making elaborate preparations for the card party to be held tomorrow afternoon and evening at 638 Myrtle avenue. There will be pinocle, auction bridge and whist and play will be at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and at 8:15 o'clock in the evening. There will be a musical program in the evening. The proceeds of the affair will be devoted to the organization's charitable work.

EAST SIDE Y. W. O. A.

The closing social for this season will be held at this time at the East Side Branch 56 Beach street, short play, "Her Uncle's Boots" will be presented by the young ladies from Summerfield M. E. church, with vocal solos by Miss Enders and Miss Kraut.

RELIEF CORPS TO MEET

The Women's Relief Corps, Grand Army of the Republic, will meet at 12:30 o'clock, Thursday, in the rooms of the Elias Howe post, G. A. R.

C. O. E. IN CONVENTION

Washington, June 8.—The Companions of the Foresters, a fraternal and benevolent organization, met here today in 17th bi-annual convention, with delegates attending from throughout the country.

COMMISSION MANAGER TO RUN ST. AUGUSTINE

St. Augustine, Fla., June 8.—The commission form of government for St. Augustine was adopted at an election yesterday by a majority of 18 out of a total vote of 812.

OFFICERS AND SCIENTISTS TO CO-OPERATE ON PROBLEMS

Paris, June 8.—At the suggestion of Albert Thomas, under-secretary of war, officers from the front will collaborate with various sections of the military inventions committee of the Academy of Sciences formed at the beginning of the war. The officers will give details from their own experience of the practical problems they have met. Lack of this data has handicapped somewhat the efforts of the committee.

The Anchor liner Cameronia arrived at New York from Glasgow by way of Liverpool, carrying 399 passengers.

Over 10,000 members of the Mystic Order of Veiled Prophets of the Enchanted Realm attended the annual convention of the order which opened in Buffalo.

Seven persons were drowned in Chicago Sunday, where thousands sought relief from the heat by swimming and boating.

A Virginia delegate led by Gov. Stuart visited President Wilson and asked him to appoint R. H. Gray of Leesbury, assistant registrar of the treasury.

HOWLAND'S

Entrances in Main Street, Fairfield Avenue, and Cannon Street.

Bridgeport, Conn., Tuesday, June 8, 1915.

The Weather:—Fair and cooler to night; Wednesday fair.

The coat will tell you all.



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from them.

Summery of weight, tasteful of color and varied;—all at less than regular price.

Our regular \$15 and \$16.50 suits \$12.50

Our regular \$22.50 and \$25 suits \$18.50

Our regular \$18 and \$20 suits \$14.50

Our regular \$28 and \$30 suits \$21.50

Main floor, rear.

Get these facts about Howland punctureproof tires.

A Howland Wonder punctureproof tire loses its ability to hold air if it is cut open. But it takes a cut to do that damage!

Tacks and nails and road oil and all the other things that spoil an ordinary tire do not spoil this tire. An ordinary puncture is healed automatically.

It will not get creepers. It will not crack and split. It will leak only when cut through or actually worn out. Two sizes—\$3.

What rider ever heard of such a money's-worth

Front basement.

And now cretonne collar-and-cuff sets.

Sounds odd to the ear; looks funny in type.

But actually seen, cretonne collars and cuffs are dainty and pretty.

Novelty is far from being their only claim to favor. Combined with crisp or-gandy; in attractive and tasteful colors.—50c.

New Quaker collars have hemstitched edge or edging of lace. Demure and delightful. 25c and 50c.

Silk collars of effective black-and-white stripes make coats and dresses have smart air. 50c.

Pretty new neck ruffs of ostrich feathers are full and fluffy and beautiful. White or black-and-white or tan—\$2.25 and \$3.

Main floor, front.

Djer-Kiss powders are here again.

Paris couldn't send any of these delightful powders and perfumes for a long time. Plenty now—and women who have learned their excellence will be gladdened.

Talcum—25c.

Facepowder—50c.

Sachet, ½ oz jar—65c.

Extract by the ounce at \$1.25.

Extract—\$1 ounce.

Some French tooth brushes of special quality—25c.

New talcum powder from an American maker is finely perfumed with the elusive odor of trailing arbutus. In 6 ounce glass jar with sprinkler top—20c.

Center aisle, front.

HOWLAND'S

Entrances in Main Street, Fairfield Avenue, and Cannon Street.

Which is cheaper 10c foot or 29c yard?

Since it takes three feet to make a yard, we all know that 29 cents a yard is the lower price.

BUT—a customer told us yesterday how another dealer was "beating" us by selling congoileum at 10 cents a foot. And our price is 29 cents a yard!

Folks don't stop to think or they never would be fooled like that.

Beside—our congoileum is of heavier weight.

What is Congoileum? A floor covering which looks quite like printed linoleum and wears very well. Its base is a heavy roofing paper with a special coating of prepared paint. Its patterns and colors are both good. There are two grades; the heavier one is sold here.

In addition to patterns sold by the yard, there are these rugs which fit into many spots and give good service:—

18 by 36 inches—25c 36 by 36 inches—50c
72 by 72 inches—\$2 54 by 54 inches—\$1
6 by 9 feet—\$3 9 by 12 feet—\$6.50

Third floor.

Never saw such boys' suits at \$7!

These suits are not \$7 suits.

They are \$10 and \$12 ones.

More than that, they are from the Sampeck tailors who make the nicest boys' clothes in America.

What wonder that their like has not been seen at \$7? Light and dark of hue, medium and light of weight, fine for wear anywhere a boy goes.

Last of a special lot; now to go at price that's shamefully-low \$7

Front basement.

Good white silk gloves—65c.

Silk is lustrous and each glove is woven so its texture is even and good-weight.

Each finger has a double tip; none will quickly wear through.

Such finger-tips practically double the life of a silk glove.

Pure white, cool in fact as in looks, 15 button length—55c.

Center aisle, rear.

Women's cool lisle vests—35c.

They are lisle of light weight and cool mesh.

They fit smoothly and comfortably. Neck is cut low, they have no sleeves, and weigh almost nothing.

Finished with silk edge and silk tape. 35c each—\$ for \$1.

Left aisle, rear.

Boys will fairly revel in cool wash suit.

"Almost as cool as a bathing suit" says Little Chap as he gets into his wash suit.

Among new styles are Tommy Tucker with little cutaway coat, Russian suits with short coat, vestee-suits, Middy and Oliver Twist are holding their friends.

One color, combinations of two colors, plain white with striped trimming—a lot of styles.

Sizes 2½ to 8—75c to \$5.

Trousers of washable dark khaki—50c and 75c; of tan linen or crash—50c and 75c; of white duck—50c and 75c.

Front basement.

HOWLAND DRY GOODS CO.

Curious Brain Organ.

Depending from the base of the brain like a berry on its stalk is a capsule about the size of a cherry. Tiny and obscure as this organ is, its derangements may have the most amazing effects upon the mind and body. Should it become suppurative the body may suddenly shoot up to the stature of a giant. Should its functions become feeble in childhood the victim in old age will retain the stature and mentality of a six-year-old child, along with all the organic and degenerative of senility. This gland is called the pituitary body. This suggests the fanciful possibility that ancient legends asserting the existence of giants may have had a scientific basis in pathology. Goliath was perhaps the victim of a deranged pituitary body, and in the ravages of the maddest may be an explanation of his falling so easily prey to a rock along by a shepherd boy. The Greek Titans may have been a tribe in which there was an epidemic of thyroiditis—Exchange.

Bringing About an Agreement.

"I have something for you here, my love," said Mr. Darley, as he proceeded to open a large round box.

"What is it, precious?"

"What and see?"

Darley carefully unwrapped the article and disclosed a lady's hat.

"Isn't it a beauty?" he asked. "I bought it myself as a surprise to you. Don't you think it is a perfect dream?"

Mrs. Darley gazed at the hat and burst into tears.

"I can't wear it," she blubbered. "It doesn't suit me at all. You meant to please me, I know, but it isn't my style at all."

"Don't cry, dear. The milliner said you could exchange it, and if you'll agree not to buy any ties for me hereafter I'll let you select your own hats and bonnets."

An agreement was concluded on that basis.—New York World.

Headress of Chilean Women.

The Chilean people are a combination of the original Indian population, a large and virile race, with the Spanish conquerors. This combination has produced a fine race of large stature, which takes readily to fighting and to an energetic development of the resources of the country, but which has been singularly deficient in the

branches of literature and art which require a vivid imagination. Although the wealthy Chileans, especially those living in the capital, follow faithfully the slightest fashions in European fashions, the many remote the distinctive headress for themselves by the Chilean women. This is a plain black cloth which covers the head, is caught in a loose knot behind the neck and then falls over the shoulders, sometimes almost to the ground. The mantle is said to be unusually becoming to the Chilean type.

Helgoland's L